IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APR 0 7 2005

Examiner: Sheela C. Chawan

Docket No.: A126.169.101

Group Art Unit: 2625

Applicant:

Ramiro N. Castellanos et al IP E

Serial No.:

10/035.592

Filed:

October 23, 2001

Due Date:

April 14, 2005 (with one-month extension

Title:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INSPECTION USING OFF-ANGLE

LIGHTING

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

It is requested that the time for filing the Amendment & Response, which is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed December 14, 2004, having a three-month response date of March 14, 2005, be extended to April 14, 2005.

The Patent Office is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account 500471 in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the Extension of Time Fee as set for under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1).

Respectfully submitted,

Ramiro N. Castellanos et al.,

By their attorneys,

DICKE, BILLIG & CZAJA, PLLC

Fifth Street Towers, Suite 2250

100 South Fifth Street

Minneapolis, MN 55402

Telephone: (612) 573-2004

Facsimile: (612) 57342003

Dated: HARIL 5, JOUS

TAC:imc

Timothy A. Czaja

Reg. No. 39,649

CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8:

The undersigned hereby certifies that this paper or papers, as described herein, are being deposited in the United States Postal Service, as first class mail, in an envelope address to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on this day of April 2705.

Name: Timothy A. Cza

04/08/2005 MAHMED1 00000038 500471 10035592

03 FC:2251

60.00 DA